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Thank you Isabelle

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Info from OPP PLT.

SQ estimated approximately 1000-1500 vehicles but I doubt very much they'll get those numbers. They're also estimating approximately 2000 pedestrians crossing from Gatineau into Ottawa on the 29th.

Let me know if you need anymore info.

Thanks,
Isabelle

Current Summary 26Jan22 1200hrs of upcoming convoy's coming into East Region and overnighting here in the coming week: New info in red.

1. **West Convoy** - BC convoy Departed 26Jan 0920hrs from Kenora E/B Hwy 17 with 185 MV's 77 Commercial Tractor (PLT count) for T-Bay, SSM to Ottawa through Hwy 17

arriving in ER approx. 3:30pm Fri 28th.. Pembroke stop for food + support 4:30pm.

Overnighting Arnprior [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] 6pm. Departing for Ottawa 29th 11am.

2. **South Convoy A**- Departing Windsor Thurs 27th arriving Kingston 27th at 5pm and overnighing in Napanee [REDACTED], Kingston [REDACTED] + Joyceville [REDACTED]. Departing Fri 28th 830am for Ottawa with planned stop at [REDACTED] in Spencerville 11am arriving Ottawa at 12pm. Estimating 30 TT's, 50 veh's.
3. **South Convoy B** –Departing Sat 29th 5:30am Oshawa/Toronto/Peterborough heading straight through to Ottawa 12pm with no overnight.
4. **South Convoy C (Reserves Across Turtle Island)** - Mustering 1pm at Six Nations Bingo, departing 2pm. Possibly stopping at Hwy 49 Gas Station [REDACTED] or joining up with Convoy A. TBD on when they are departing for Ottawa. Unsure when departing for Ottawa.
5. **South Convoy D** – (Niagara) Departing Fort Eerie Thu 27th 0730hrs going through Hamilton, 401 E/B. Org estimates 40-50 trucks and u/k # of vehicles. Agreed to 80k speeds + using one lane. No intent to merge with the Windsor Convoy.
6. **South Convoy E** – Departing Vaughn Mills Thu 27th 1330hrs. Numbers TBD
7. **East Convoy A**– Departing NFLD entering ER through 417 from Quebec arriving Fri 28th at 3pm for overnight at Herbs Truck Stop Vankleek Hill. Departure Sat 29th at 10am arriving Ottawa 12pm. *Now planning to depart [REDACTED] and go through Gatineau into Ottawa. Martin Broadman advised PLT they plan to remain in Ottawa until policy changes.
8. **East Convoy B** – Truckers from Quebec meeting convoy A at [REDACTED] in Vankleek Hill at 8am on Sat the 29th (no overnight). PLT working on numbers, SQ partner liaison today.
9. **Cornwall Convoy A** – Departing Petro Bass Boundary Rd (OPP) 10am on the 29th for Ottawa 12pm.
10. **Cornwall Convoy B** – Departing [REDACTED] (hwy 43@138) (6am free breakfast) on the 29th at 10am for Ottawa.

PLT will update on changes + number estimates + forward summary. Changes subject to weather or unpredictable issues. Current fundraising is at \$4 million. Account frozen, using e-transfers.

PLT Outreach Summary

- [REDACTED] Arnprior very concerned due to historical issues with Bauders group, capacity limits + covid. Not planning to take any from Convoy. Code of Conduct posted on their site. They advised convoy is going to old [REDACTED] [REDACTED] off Hwy 17.
- South Convoy A Truck stops – [REDACTED] Joyceville – cannot accommodate + will let them, participant Steve looking into Invista Centre Kingston.
- [REDACTED] Truck Stop Vankleek Hill – Capacity 100 with overflow. Convoy contacted them + appeared cooperative.
- East Convoy – PLT spoke to Martin Broadman, no idea of #'s, won't know until Thurs evening/ Friday morning. Plan to arrive at [REDACTED] Truck Stop mid Friday (28Jan) afternoon. Travelling using one lane only. Driver accountability discussed - there will be a code of conduct + safety rules to sign off on. (PLT will get a copy). Passenger veh's are

staying at neighboring hotels. Entering Ottawa Sat 29Jan from Gatineau. PLT will get SA on numbers joining from Quebec today + liaison with SQ.

- PLT are aware of support rallies, meals + banner drops at these locations: Odessa/Quinte West/416 @ Rideau River overpass, Pembroke Irvings (800 meals), Angelo's in Spencerville, Katrinas Hwy 138@43
- OPS/PPS are expecting 10,000 ppl for the event Sat 29th at 12pm. PLT are liaising with NCR parnters.